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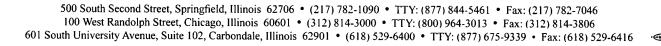
December 15, 2015

To: All Tobacco Products License Holders

Tobacco Products License Holders include distributors, retailers, wholesalers and manufacturers who have an "Illinois TP License." A TP license allows a business to sell tobacco products, including roll-your-own (RYO) tobacco (i.e., any tobacco which, because of its appearance, type, packaging, or labeling is suitable for use and likely to be offered to, or purchased by, consumers as tobacco for making cigarettes). Anyone who has a TP license **MUST** file a "Distributor Quarterly Report of Sales of Non-Participating Manufacturers' Brands" each quarter with the Office of the Illinois Attorney General whether or not they have any sales of RYO tobacco.

The Tobacco Product Manufacturers' Escrow Enforcement Act of 2003 provides that the only RYO tobacco products allowed to be sold in Illinois are those manufactured by (1) MSA Participating Manufacturers, or (2) Compliant Non-Participating Manufacturers. The sale of all other RYO tobacco products is prohibited and may result in the suspension or revocation of a TP license. Beginning June 30, 2004, the Illinois Directory of Compliant NPMs replaced the Substantial Compliance List and the Illinois Directory of Participating Manufacturers replaced the NAAG List of Participating Manufacturers. As of June 30, 2004, in order to be lawfully sold in the State of Illinois, both the manufacturer and the brand family must appear together on one of the Directories. Effective January 1, 2008, the Fire Safety Standard Act (425 ILCS 8/1 et seq. requires that only brand styles certified with the Fire Marshal may be sold in Illinois.

You are required to fill out the enclosed form, "Distributor Quarterly Report of Sales of Non-Participating Manufacturers' Brands" and file it with our office quarterly, together with the Distributor Quarterly Report NPM Sales and Inventory Information (Dist-1) and copies of all purchase and sales invoices, according to the schedule below. This report is to include sales of "roll-your-own" product made by manufacturers not participating in the MSA. The Attorney General Rules require that the license holder provide the name of the brand being sold (column a), ounces of roll-your-own sold for the specified quarter (column c), name and address of the non-participating manufacturer (column d), name and address of person from whom the brand was purchased (column e) and the name and address of the first importer or first purchaser of each brand (column f). The license holder must also indicate whether or not they pay the Illinois Tobacco Products Tax (OTP Tax) for each brand listed. You may provide a computer report of the RYO sales, but you MUST also provide the information in columns a-f on the quarterly report form. If you have no sales of "roll-your-own" product which are manufactured by non-participating manufacturers, please write "None" under Step 2.



Write your license number in the upper right box and provide your address and contact information in Step 1 on the Distributor Quarterly Report. You must provide our office with an electronic mail address on line 10. An updated listing of participating manufacturers can be found at <a href="https://www.IllinoisAttorneyGeneral.gov">www.IllinoisAttorneyGeneral.gov</a> by clicking on "Tobacco" and then on "Illinois Directories." No information needs to be included on the form as to these manufacturers. Please return the completed form and copies of all purchase and sales invoices prior to January 20, 2016. Quarterly Reports are due according to the following schedule:

Quarter	Date Range	Report Due
First	Jan. 1 - Mar. 31	April 20
Second	Apr. 1 - Jun. 30	July 20
Third	Jul. 1 - Sept. 30	October 20
Fourth	Oct. 1 - Dec. 31	January 20

Also enclosed is the Distributor 2015 Quarterly Report of PACT Act Transactions which our office requires all licensed distributors to complete. Please return the completed form, with any attachments, prior to January 20, 2016.

Enclosed are copies of the following:

- 1. Distributor Quarterly Report of Sales of Non-Participating Manufacturers' Brands
- 2. Distributor Quarterly Report NPM Sales and Inventory Information (Dist-1)
- 3. Distributor 2015 Quarterly Report of PACT Act Transactions
- 4. What's New December 2015
- 5. State of Illinois Tobacco Product Distributor Affidavit for 2015 Sales
- 6. Notice of Changes to Distributor 2015 Q4 Quarterly Mailing

The Attorney General's office appreciates the cooperation of TP license holders in reporting NPM sales prior to the required deadline. If you have further questions, please contact Jackie Pryor or Stephanie Farley at 217-785-8541.

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## Distributor Quarterly Report of Sales of Non-Participating Manufacturers' Brands

LICENSE NO:

QUARTERLY

Note	This report m	lust be filed on or before the 20	This report must be filed on or before the 20th day of the month following the end of the reporting period	end of the reporting perioa			
Step 1	Step 1: Distributor Information	Information			5 Report pre	Report prepared date	1 1
1 Name	ne					from from	1 1
					6 and year:	to	1 1
2 Address	ess				7 Contact Phone	hone	
					8 Business Phone	Phone	
City, 3 State, ZIP	y, ZIP				9 Fax Number	рег	
Contact 4 Person(s)	tact on(s)				10 E-Mail Address(es)	dress(es)	
Step 2	: Non-Partici	pating Manufacture	Step 2: Non-Participating Manufacturer and Brand Information	tion		Name and address of the	Name and address of the
<b>6</b>	Brand name a	Number of cigarettes sold within the state b	Ounces of roll-your-own tobacco sold within the state	Non-participating manufacturer name and address d	Tobacco Products Tax (OTP) paid by or Product stamped by ("U" or "A") Us/Another	was purchased. If this company paid the Illinois tobacco products tax or stamped the product, indicate by asterisk (*).	
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Ciga	rette and RYO b	rands not listed togeth	er with the manufacturer	on either the Illinois Di	- rectory of Particip	ating Manufacturers	Cigarette and RYO brands not listed together with the manufacturer on either the Illinois Directory of Participating Manufacturers or the Illinois Directory of
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Both directories are published on the Attorney General's website at www.lllinoisAttorneyGeneral.gov (Click on Tobacco, then Illinois Directories.) Contact the Tobacco Enforcement Bureau at Compliant NPMs may NOT be sold in Illinois.

217-785-8541 if you have any questions regarding the manufacturers and brands which may be sold in Illinois. Last Updated 9/4/2015

# Distributor Quarterly Report of Sales of Non-Participating Manufacturers' Brands Instructions

### General Information

## Who is required to file this report?

- 1. Cigarette Distributor Licensees: If you are a cigarette distributor, you must file this form to report sales you made of cigarettes bearing Illinois cigarette stamps that were manufactured by a manufacturer who is not participating in the tobacco Master Settlement Agreement. Distributors are not required to make any payments with this report.
- 2. TP Licensees: By definition, "cigarette" includes roll-your-own ("RYO") tobacco. You must file this form to report sales of RYO tobacco made by a non-participating manufacturer for which Illinois Other Tobacco Products (OTP) Tax was paid. All individuals or businesses that have a Tobacco Products Tax License must file this form whether or not there were any sales of roll-your-own tobacco.

## Who is a non-participating manufacturer?

A cigarette manufacturer who is not participating in the tobacco Master Settlement Agreement. Manufacturers who are not listed on the Directory of Participating Manufacturers are non-participating manufacturers.

### When is this report due?

This report should be filed by the 20th day of the month following the end of the reporting quarter. The report for:

- January, February, and March is due on or before April 20,
- April, May, and June is due on or before July 20
- July, August, and September is due on or before October 20, and
- October, November, and December is due on or before January 20 of the following year.

## Where do I send my completed report?

Mail your completed report to the Tobacco Enforcement Unit at the address below:

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL TOBACCO ENFORCEMENT BUREAU 500 SOUTH 2nd STREET SPRINGFIELD IL 62706

Please provide to each manufacturer you listed in Step 2, a copy of the information applicable to such manufacturer.

### Specific Instructions

### Step 1: Distributor information

- 1es 1-3 Provide your business name and address at which you wish to receive mailings.
- Line 4 Provide the name of the person the Attorney General should contact with questions
- regarding this filing.
- **Line 5** Write the date that the report was prepared.
- **Line 6** Write the period this report covers.
- **Line 7-8** Provide telephone numbers for the distributor and contact person.
- **Line 9** Provide the fax number for the business
- Line 10 Provide an e-mail address for purposes of receiving electronic mail updates and notifications.

# Step 2: Non-participating manufacturer and brand information

Column a — Write the name of the brand. If you are uncertain whether a particular brand is manufactured by a non-participating manufacturer, you should consult the Illinois Directory of Participating Manufacturers. If you need a copy of this Directory, you may contact the Attorney General's Office. If the manufacturer and brand that you sell does not appear together on the Directory, you should include that brand in Column a. A current listing of brands of participating manufacturers can be found on the internet at <a href="https://www.naag.org">www.illinoisAttorneyGeneral.gov</a>. <a href="http://www.naag.org">http://www.naag.org</a>.

**Column b** — Write the number of individual cigarettes bearing Illinois tax stamps you sold of the brands listed in Column a. This column should be left blank for roll-your-own tobacco brands.

**Column c** — Write the number of ounces of roll-your-own tobacco that were subject to Illinois taxes for the brands listed in Column a. This column should be left blank for cigarette brands.

**Column d** — Write the name and mailing address of the non-participating manufacturer manufacturing the brand shown in Column a.

**Us/Another**— Write "U" if the Illinois tobacco products tax was paid or the product was stamped under the distributor license listed on this form. Write "A" if the tobacco products tax was paid by another entity or the product was stamped by someone else.

Column e — Write the name and mailing address of the person from whom you purchased the brand shown in Column a. If you purchased the brand from another distributor, then you should list the name and address of the other distributor. Write "Same" if this information is already listed in Column d. If the company listed paid the Illinois tobacco products tax or stamped the product, indicate by an asterisk (\*).

**Column f** — Write the name and mailing address of the first importer or first purchaser of foreign or non-resident brands shown in Column a. Write "Same" if already listed in Column d or Column e.



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### Distributor Quarterly Report NPM Sales & Inventory Information

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Cig Lic. No.	
TP Lic. No.	

Step 1: Distributor Info Distributor Name:	•			Report date: Report Qtr:			
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Step 2: NPM Sales Use a	•						
		n-participating		Number of cigarettes		Ounces of RYO sold	
Brand name	man	ufacturer name		sold within the state		within the state	
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Quantity purchased:		Sticks	*	Ounces			
IL Stamped Sales:	-	Sticks		Ounces (OTP Tax P	aid)		
Ending Inventory:		Sticks		Ounces	aia,		
Sales to other states:	(stamped and un	stamped product sale	es)	- Ounces			
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### Instructions:

**Step 1:** Provide the name of distributor and license information as it appears on the Distributor Quarterly Report of Non-participating Manufacturers' Brands. Provide the date the form was prepared and the quarter for which the sales were made.

**Step 2:** For each NPM brand family, provide the information from the Distributor Quarterly Report of Sales of Non-Participating Manufacturers' Brands.

**Step 3:** Provide the following for the brands listed:

- The beginning inventory amount for the brand listed
- Quantity purchased for the quarter
- The quantity of IL stamped sales (for RYO, quantity on which OTP tax was paid) for the quarter
- If brand family was sold into another state, list the state and quantity sold during the quarter
- The ending inventory amount for the brand listed

**Step 4:** Indicate whether required sales and purchase documentation is attached. If a spreadsheet is provided in lieu of invoices, the AG may require the actual invoices. Documentation of unstamped product sales must include the name and address to whom the product was sold, brand family, quantity and date sold.



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### Distributor Quarterly Report of P.A.C.T. Act Transactions

LICENSE NO:

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Step 1: Distributor Information	∪n.	Report prepared date	1 1
Name	Ō	Reporting year: from	,
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Address	7	Contact Phone	
	∞	Business Phone	
City, State, Zip	9	Fax Number	
Contact Person(s)	10	E-Mail Address(es)	
Step 2: Reportable P.A.C.T. Act Trans:  1 Did you sell, ship, transfer, advertise, c	Step 2: Reportable P.A.C.T. Act Transactions (#1-circle all that apply) (#2-check applicable carrier and insert name of carrier)  1 Did you sell, ship, transfer, advertise, or offer for sale any cigarettes, RYO, or smokeless tobacco that was delivered into Illinois which originated outside the state of Illinois?	carrier and insert name of carrier) hat was delivered into Illinois which originate	ed outside the state of Illinois?
2 Mode of Delivery: UPSFedEx(	Common Carrier Private Carrier	U.S. Mail	Other
3 Name and Address of Illinois Process Agent:			
Step 3: P.A.C.T. Act Reports Filed Wit	Step 3: P.A.C.T. Act Reports Filed With Illinois Department of Revenue for 2015 Transactions	ions	
No P.A.C.T. Act Reports were filed	No P.A.C.T. Act Reports were filed with the Illinois Department of Revenue (IDOR) for reportable Pact Act transactions.	actions.	
Enclosed are copies of the P.A.C.1	Enclosed are copies of the P.A.C.T. Act Reports filed with the IDOR for the following months:		
JanFebMar	AprMayJunJulAugSep	OctNovDec	ř
3 Copies of P.A.C.T. Act Reports filed	Copies of P.A.C.T. Act Reports filed with the IDOR were previously provided to the OAG for this reporting period.		
Step 4: Distributor Statement			
Jnder penalties of perjury, I state that, to the bes	Jnder penalties of perjury, I state that, to the best of my knowledge, all of the information contained in this Report	this Report and any attached documents are true and accurate	is are true and accurate.
Name and Title of Authorized Person (Print)	Signa		Date
	Instructions		

which reports are attached. Check #3 if you have previously provided copies of PACT Act reports to the OAG.

provide the process agent information in #3.

bottom banner and then on Distributor Information).

Step 3. Check #1 if you did not file Pact Act Reports. Check #2 if you are enclosing copies of Pact Act reports filed with IDOR and mark all months for

For information on the P.A.C.T. Act, see the P.A.C.T. Act Alert posted on the OAG website at www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov (click on Tobacco on

Step 2. Check #1 if you have Reportable Pact Act transactions and circle all that apply. Complete #2, Mode of Delivery including name of carrier and

December 2015

### Distributor Affidavits for 2015 and Future Sales

Cigarette and OTP Distributors: Included in the fourth quarter mailing is an affidavit for cigarette distributors and all licensed OTP distributors who filed quarterly reports in one or more quarters in 2015. All licensed Cigarette and OTP distributors are required to complete the affidavit and return it by January 20, 2016. The Cigarette Distributor Affidavit includes an addendum for reporting cigars classified as cigarettes in Illinois in 2015. Cigars that are not considered to be cigarettes are also reported on the Affidavit. Please review the instructions and definitions for the cigars to which the addendum applies.

Both affidavits include questions regarding cigarette machines and the cigarette machine operator license. The Cigarette Machine Operators' Occupation Tax Act (SB 2194) effective August 1, 2012, requires cigarette machine operators to be licensed by the Illinois Department of Revenue and to report monthly to Revenue (copy to Illinois Office of Attorney General) their sales and other information relating to the operation of cigarette machines. An insert about the legislation was included in the 2012 Q3 mailing and is available from the Tobacco Enforcement Bureau.

Cigarette and OTP distributors will be required to complete a similar affidavit for 2016 sales and should retain adequate records to complete future affidavits. Each year an affidavit is included in the fourth quarter mailing and must be completed on or before January 20 of the following year. Notices of violation have been sent to distributors that have not completed the affidavit for 2014 and returned it to our office.

### Changes with this Mailing

Effective September 2015, the Illinois Directories of Participating Manufacturers and Compliant NPMs will no longer be distributed with the quarterly mailing. Both directories may be accessed on the Illinois Attorney General website, www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov, click Tobacco at the bottom of the page, then click Illinois Directories, or click on the link: <a href="http://www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov/tobacco/illinoisdirectories.html">http://www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov/tobacco/illinoisdirectories.html</a>. Furthermore, the "Changes in Compliance Status" will also no longer be included in the quarterly mailing. The Notice to Distributors of additions or deletions to the Directories will also be posted at the website above. If you have any questions, please contact our office at 217-785-8541.

### Little Cigars Classified as Cigarettes for Tax Purposes

Effective July 1, 2013 Illinois legislation requires "Little Cigars" that meet the definition of "any roll, made wholly or in part of tobacco, where such roll has an integrated cellulose acetate filter and weighs less than four pounds per thousand and the wrapper or cover of which is made in whole or in part of tobacco" to be stamped with an Illinois cigarette excise tax stamp for those in packs of 20 or 25 and for those in packs other than 20 or 25 to have the tax paid at the same rate as cigarettes. Our office has included questions on the Distributor Annual Affidavits regarding the brands and quantities stamped with Illinois excise tax stamps as well as those for which the tax is paid at the cigarette or OTP tax rate. Distributors that sell Little Cigars in Illinois must retain documentation, including the purchase and sales invoices, and make it available to the OAG upon request. In particular, our office needs distributors to confirm the amount of cigarettes sold with Illinois tax stamps as well as the amount of Little Cigars sold with Illinois tax stamps. Letters and an Affidavit were sent to licensed cigarette distributors on June 26, 2015, requesting confirmation of 2013 Little Cigar sales which had Illinois stamps affixed. We will send a similar request for 2014 and 2015 Little Cigar sales in the future.

### NPM Sales and Inventory Information

As of the 2013 Q1 mailing, included in each quarterly mailing is a form that Distributors, which report sales of NPM brands on the Distributor Quarterly Report of Non-Participating Manufacturer Brands, MUST complete for each brand family. In addition to the purchase and sales invoices that distributors have been required to provide each quarter, this form allows the distributor to document the beginning inventory, quantity purchased, ending inventory and sales to other states of any brand families that are stamped for sale in Illinois or for RYO on which the OTP tax has been paid. Distributors are required to maintain and make available to the Attorney General all invoices and documentation of sales of all NPM cigarettes, including RYO, and any other information relied upon in filing quarterly reports for a period of five years. The submission of invoices or computer reports

showing sales of NPM product in Illinois does not relieve the distributor of the duty to complete the distributor quarterly report for each brand family and to list the information in columns a through f for each brand family.

### Prevent All Cigarette Trafficking Act

Under the Prevent All Cigarette Trafficking Act ("PACT ACT"), effective June 29, 2010, individuals and businesses that sell cigarettes, RYO, and smokeless tobacco products must file reports with DOR no later than the 10<sup>th</sup> of each month that include a memorandum or copy of the invoice covering *all shipments* of cigarettes into Illinois during the previous month. The memorandum or invoice in each case must include the name and address of the person to whom the shipment was made, the brand, and quantity of cigarettes sold, transferred or shipped. To register, contact the Illinois DOR. For more information, see the PACT Act Alert posted on the OAG website. In 2015, PACT Act reports must be submitted in addition to the quarterly report of NPM sales. Enclosed in the quarterly mailing is the Distributor 2015 Quarterly Report of PACT Act Transactions.

### What's Banned?

The only cigarettes which can be stamped and sold in Illinois are those manufactured by (1) MSA Participating Manufacturers, or (2) Compliant Non-Participating Manufacturers, which manufacturers and brand families appear together on the Illinois Directory of Participating Manufacturers or the Illinois Directory of Compliant NPMs. The stamping and sale of all other products are prohibited. (The sale and distribution of all Bidi cigarettes are also banned, by virtue of P.A. 91-734, eff. 1-1-01.) The Illinois Directories are posted on the Illinois Attorney General website. Distributors can also call the Tobacco Enforcement Bureau at (217) 785-8541 for up-to-date information.

Effective June 30, 2006, we no longer post the Manufacturers Whose Cigarettes are Banned from Sale in Illinois by Court Order on our website. Manufacturers and brands NOT LISTED on the Directory of Participating Manufacturers or on the Directory of Compliant NPMs may NOT be sold in Illinois regardless of whether there is a court order banning such sales.

### Illinois Directories

Effective August 1, 2008, the Illinois Directory of Participating Manufacturers and the Directory of Compliant NPMs include brand styles that have been certified under the Cigarette Fire Safety Standard Act as well as brand families certified as being in compliance with the Tobacco Product Manufacturers' Escrow Enforcement Act of 2003. In order to be lawfully sold in the State of Illinois, both the manufacturer and the brand family, as well as the brand styles, must appear together on one of the Directories. The NAAG List of Participating Manufacturers has not been in effect in Illinois since June 29, 2004.

Directory changes requested by the Fire Marshal under the Cigarette Fire Safety Standard Act are included in "Illinois Directory Changes Under the Cigarette Fire Safety Standard Act." This document is posted on our website and should be consulted for additions or deletions of brand styles under the Fire Safety Standard Act.

### Web Resources

Various tobacco related materials, including the Illinois Directories, manufacturer information, distributor information, Statutes and Rules, and Illinois Department of Revenue information are available at the Illinois Attorney General website, <a href="www.IllinoisAttorneyGeneral.gov">www.IllinoisAttorneyGeneral.gov</a> (Click on Tobacco at the bottom of the page).

### Notification of Change of Address

The Attorney General obtains addresses on a quarterly basis from the Illinois Department of Revenue. Please report any changes in address, phone or contact person to <u>both</u> the Attorney General and the Illinois Department of Revenue:

Illinois Attorney General Tobacco Enforcement Bureau 500 South Second Street Springfield IL 62706

Illinois Department of Revenue Miscellaneous Taxes Division P.O. Box 19477 Springfield IL 62794-9477



See Page 4 Instructions before completing.

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The following affidavit must be completed if your business has an Illinois Tobacco Products license. You are required to complete this affidavit even if your Tobacco Products license is currently inactive but was active at any time during 2015. All sections of the affidavit must be completed. If a certain section does not apply to your business please mark it with "n/a" and give a brief explanation.

Part 1: Distributor Identi	fication						
Company Name					FEIN		
Mailing Address							
City	State		Zip Code				
Phone	Fax		Web Address				
Illinois Business Tax No.			Illinois TP License No.				
Name and title of person con	npleting this affida	avit					
Part 2: Designated Cont	act						
Name			Title				· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
Mailing Address							
City	State		Zip Code				
Phone	Fax		E-Mail				
Part 3: Questions relating to your business							
Our sales of tobacco produc	ts represent (Che	ck all that	at apply)				
□ Stamped Cigarettes	С		/MYO for which PAY the Illinois OTP tax			0	Pipe Tobacco
□ Unstamped Cigarettes	С		MYO for which THER ENTITY PAYS the	Illino	is OTP		Snuff
□ "Little Cigars"		□ Othe	er:				Cigars
Our sales of tobacco product	ts are to the follow	wing (Ch	eck all that apply)				
□ Sales to other distributo	o <b>rs</b> c	□ Reta	il sales to customers		Mail order	sales	
□ Sales to retailers	С	□ Interi	net sales		Other		
If your business does not pay and the name of the entity th	/ the Illinois OTP at pays the Illinois	tax for the s OTP ta	he RYO/MYO that you sell, ax. Attach additional pages	pleas	se list the r	name	of the product



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### Part 4: Illinois Brand Family Sales (Attach additional pages as necessary)

The undersigned distributor certifies, under penalty of perjury, as of the date of this certification, that the following list is a complete list of all of the cigarette brand families and RYO/MYO tobacco which were sold during 2015 for purposes of Section 15 of the Escrow Act.

- List all cigarettes, stamped or unstamped, that you sold.
- List RYO/MYO for which you paid the Illinois OTP tax.
- List Brand Families only, NOT brand styles (menthol, regular, full flavor, etc.).
- INCLUDE BOTH PARTICIPATING AND NON-PARTICIPATING BRANDS.

Brand Family Mark with an asterisk (*)	Manufacturer	Check One	Check One: Participating	Sales \ (Do not convert	<b>/olume</b> RYO to sticks.)
if you sell this brand over the internet or by mail order	Manufacture	Only	or Non- Participating	Cigarette Sticks	RYO Ounces
		□ Cigarette □ RYO	□ PM □ NPM		
		□ Cigarette □ RYO	□ PM □ NPM		
		□ Cigarette □ RYO	□ PM □ NPM		
		□ Cigarette □ RYO	□ PM □ NPM		
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Part 5: Little Cigars (Attach additional pages as necessary)  You must check Yes or No.							
Does your business sell Little Cigars that are classified as cigarettes in Illinois?   Yes   No Illinois 2015 Sales of packs of 20 or 25 little cigars   Yes   No Illinois 2015 Sales of packs of other than 20 or 25 little cigars   Yes   No If yes, list the brand, manufacturer, and name of company from whom the brand was purchased.							
Brand	Manufacturer	Supplier	Brand	Manufacturer	Supplier		
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Does your business sell Little Cigars that are NOT classified as cigarettes in Illinois?   Yes   No  If yes, list brand, manufacturer and sales volume (in sticks). Provide proof that such cigars weigh 4 or more pounds per thousand.							
Brand	Manufacturer	Supplier	Brand	Manufacturer	Supplier		
Part 6: Internet/N	Mail Order Sales		Variable	-1-VNN			
				ck Yes or No or N	ot Applicable.		
Has the Illinois OTF	tax been paid prior	to sale via internet or	mail order?	<u>Internet Sales</u> □ Yes	Mail Order Sales  □ Yes		
				□ No	□ No		
·				□ Not Applicable	□ Not Applicable		
Are Internet/Mail Order sales made with permission of the manufacturer? <u>Internet Sales</u> <u>Mail Order Sales</u>							
□ Yes □ No □ No							
□ No □ No □ No □ Not Applicable □ Not Applicable							
If yes, list the manufacturers:							
For Internet Sales, please provide the website address(es) that are used for the sales:							
For internet Sales	, please provide the v	vebsite address(es) i	inat are used for t	he sales:			
For Mail Order sal	es, please identify the	e publications or othe	er venues where t	he products are adve	ertised:		
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Part 7: Cigarette N	lachine Sales		You n	nust check Yes or N	lo.		
	s have a Cigarette Ma			□ Yes	. □ No		
	nake stick cigarettes		O, pipe or other to				
Do you nave a Ciga	rette Machine operat	or license?		☐ Yes	□ No		



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### **Part 8: Distributor Certification**

Under penalties of perjury, I state that, to the any attached documents are true and accur <i>public</i> .		
Distributor's Designee (Print Name)	Title	
Signature of Distributor's Designee	Date	
Subscribed and sworn to before me this date:	Signature of Notary Public	
	County	Commission Expires

### Mail by January 20, 2016

### Submit the completed Affidavit to:

Illinois Attorney General Tobacco Enforcement Bureau 500 South Second Street Springfield IL 62706 For Additional Forms and Information
Phone (217) 785-8541
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### Instructions:

- All TP license holders must complete this Affidavit, regardless of whether they sold tobacco products during 2015.
- Do not include product on which the OTP tax was paid by another licensee in response to Parts 4.
- Where one company holds a number of licenses, each license holder must complete a separate Affidavit. The license holder that pays the Illinois OTP tax must complete Parts 4-5.
- Respond to each item. If a question does not apply, please explain.
- Distributors are responsible for their own calculations. If computer reports are provided in response to Parts 4 and 5, they must include the total for 2015 by brand family.
- Attach additional pages as needed and where explanations are required.
- Cigarette Making Machine as used in Part 7 refers to the machines that are made available for use in a commercial setting, including retail locations and locations where the machines are made available to members of a "social club" or "non-profit." It does NOT include cigarette rolling machines intended and designed for use by individual consumers who do not intend to offer the resulting product for resale. Hot Rod Filling Station is an example of Cigarette Making Machine.

### "Little Cigars":

- Effective July 1, 2013 Illinois legislation classifies little cigars as cigarettes for tax purposes and requires "Little Cigars" that meet the definition of "any roll, made wholly or in part of tobacco, where each roll has an integrated cellulose acetate filter and weighs less than 4 pounds per thousand and the wrapper or cover of which is made in whole or in part of tobacco" to be stamped with an Illinois cigarette excise tax stamp for those in packs of 20 or 25 and for those in packs of other than 20 or 25 to have the tax paid at the same rate as cigarettes.
- "Little Cigars" as used in Part 3 and Part 5 refer to any roll, made wholly or in part of tobacco, where such roll has an integrated cellulose acetate filter and weighs less than 4 pounds per thousand and the wrapper or cover of which is made in whole or in part of tobacco.
- Little Cigars also include any brands that continue to be taxed under OTP tax on or after July 1, 2013.

### NOTICE OF CHANGES TO DISTRIBUTOR 2015 Q4 QUARTERLY MAILING

The following changes have taken place for this mailing:

- Documents sent by electronic mail only:
  - 1. Letter to All Tobacco Products License Holders:
  - 2. Distributor Quarterly Report of Sales of NPM Brands;
  - 3. Distributor Quarterly Report of NPM Sales and Inventory Information (DIST-1);
  - 4. Distributor 2015 Quarterly Report of PACT Act Transactions;
  - 5. What's New December 2015; and
  - 6. State of Illinois Tobacco Product Distributor Affidavit for 2015 Sales.
- The State of Illinois Changes in Compliance document will no longer be sent.
   If there are any directory changes, the information may be found in the Notice to Distributors and will be posted on the Illinois Attorney General website. As there are no directory changes this quarter, no Notice to Distributors is included in this Q4 mailing. Click on the following link:
   <a href="http://www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov/tobacco/illinoisdirectories.html">http://www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov/tobacco/illinoisdirectories.html</a>.
- The Illinois directories of Compliant NPMs and Participating Manufacturers will no longer be sent with the quarterly mailing. You may access both directories on the Illinois Attorney General website. Click on the following link: <a href="http://www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov/tobacco/illinoisdirectories.html">http://www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov/tobacco/illinoisdirectories.html</a>.
- Blank copies of the Distributor Quarterly Report of Sales of Non-Participating Manufacturers' Brands, the Distributor Quarterly Report of NPM Sales and Inventory Information (DIST-1), the Distributor 2015 Quarterly Report of PACT Act Transactions, and the State of Illinois Tobacco Product Distributor Affidavit for 2015 sales are included with the 2015 Q4 mailing. Copies of the forms are posted on the Illinois Attorney General website. Click on the following link:

http://www.illinoisattorneygeneral.gov/tobacco/distributorinfo.html.

IMPORTANT: Please fill in your license number in the box in the upper right of the form, all address and contact information in Step 1, and the manufacturer and brand information in Step 2.